

DOTHAN EAGLE

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the first of January to
begin a good deal of inter-
est.

It is now about time for the
people to look at the more serious
problems of making a living for
1911.

During the season, we have
had the weather, notwithstanding
the efforts of the weather.

The Courier-Journal man thinks
that the death of the Bachelor
Giant Club of New York might
be caused by heart failure.

All feel better when we
are in the confusion of Christ-
mas. Within an other week
we will be moving smoothly.
All will feel better. By
then we will have consumed
what were left from the
table down to every day

LAWTON WISBEE

W. W. Whaley, our representa-
tive for Houston county in the
legislature, would like to serve
the majority of the people as well
as he can, when he goes to Mont-
gomery, now in a few days. As

the thing now stands, he hardly
knows the wishes of the consti-
tuency. He doesn't want to go
up without some expression from
the people as to what he is ex-
pected to do with reference to
the whiskey traffic.

As it stands, a petition is
being circulated to give the town
home rule. One may be out for a
month, though we have seen
nothing of it, nor have we seen
any one who has. The prohibi-
tion folks are putting out no peti-
tions asking that the present laws
be maintained.

The thing to do is to try to get
expressions from the people.

HOOKWORM TRAX.

Houston county hook-
worm story is a good deal like the
"three blind mice" of the old
school books. The story was that

the people of Houston
county had the worms. The facts
showed that a number of people sus-
cepting the worms were 70 per cent of those
who have them. Houston

is a community of hard-working, pros-
perous, progressive people, with a
considerable amount of wealth al-
ready accumulated. Hookworm
people do not like to work. We
do not know whether Houston has any
more worms than any other county.—Birmingham Leader.

before, this was the
place where any systematic
work started. The percent-
age, but this isn't the
percentage of actual patients. We
will not be known later, for
we have reached them all yet,
but a very

large take, too, about the
hookworm patients
who are able to work.
But they really don't
care about them and
the well people have
done so much
that there was clean of

Say What We Want

It is said the whiskey folks are
circulating a petition to give the
town open saloons. It has also
been said that a dispensary petition
would be circulated. Mean-
time, the prohibition forces are
doing nothing.

If the legislature is presented a
petition from Dothan citizens, ask-
ing for whiskey in some form,
with no opposition, it will very
properly conclude that there is no
sentiment in Dothan against the
sale of whiskey.

There isn't enough prohibition
sentiment in Dothan and Houston
county to keep some kind of a bill
from passing, no doubt, but there
ought to be some kind of a protest
made, so that it will not look like
the thing is all one way.

No one, we suppose, would say
that the present conditions are
ideal. They are not satisfactory,
but through no fault of the prohi-
bition laws. They are good
enough. All that is needed is en-
forcement and a public sentiment
to call for the enforcement would
make them effective.

There are not enough people
making a kick on the blind tigers,
and appealing to the officials to
enforce the laws.

Meantime, no bill is likely to
get through that will put any
change into effect earlier than the
first of March, for it will take
thirty days advertising the bill
before it can be put before the
legislature, we believe, unless
there is a general local option bill
passed, and in that event, an elec-
tion will have to be called in the
county to put it into effect.

There is no relief to offer, under
the present conditions.

We are to have whiskey. It
will either be sold by open sal-
loons, by the dispensary, or by
blind tigers, as it is now. There
is no need of tigers, if a proper
effort was put forth to run them in.

Some towns don't have them,
but we all agree that we need re-
lief, unless the present blind ti-
gers are made to shut up, or put
more revenue into the town's
treasury.

What will we have?

Are we going to send our rep-
resentative and senator to Mont-
gomery without any instructions?

There are but few days left to
think it over and decide on what
we want.

DULL TIMES

It is something pathetic to note
how pushed up for copy some of
the bigger dailies get during the
dull seasons. We all know that
certain days we haven't room
enough for the good, live home
news that happens, and then others,
we have nothing fit to print.

That was the condition of the
office of the Advertiser the other
day. The make-up man let his
wants be known. He wanted a
story for one of the columns on the
front page. One of the men hap-

pened not to be busy right then
and swung his chair around and
went down stairs. As he reached
the sidewalk and looked toward
the capitol, he thought of Comer.
With a superhuman effort he tried
to imagine what Comer would be
doing after O'Neal takes his seat.
He knew that the people of Ala-
bama would read an article at this
time about Comer, whether Comer's
friends were afraid

With these few bits of copy
nothing remained but to add a
long piece of copy paper to
get the keys of the typewriter.

When the story was done, he
told how Comer would quietly
retire to his room on the 16th, and then
read the news of the usual trade winds
just right. When he was done
right, he was power to speak
the political situation, and ride
and ride, and ride into the United States
first good or nameless.

The article in full was given to
O'Neal, but according to the
script of attributed to the reporter,
how even he could be sure when
he jumps into the political whirlpool.
And we all read it carefully.
We all read it carefully, to see
what the reporter has of his article
on. We found that he needed
some copy, and that Comer, for
the last six or eight years, is good
for copy at any time, whether he
talks, or just plays a thinking
part.

No one has accused Comer of
wanting to run for the Senate in
the last year or two, for he has
run rules every day in the year
than he will have in the future.
He may have thought of this at
one time, but we doubt if he has
given the matter serious thought
in recent months.

Things would have to change
considerably, of course, before he
could ever be elected to the United
States Senate by the people of
Alabama. He is now clasped with
the down and outers, but no one
can tell when the people will rise
up as one man, and want some
thing, and when that time comes,
the Advertiser man's predictions
may be right, and he or some other
bright young man for the paper,
will furnish the story, which is always
readable, till the clods are
pulled in over him.

But the article the Advertiser
printed was read, whether there
was an excuse for printing it or
not, and we excuse the paper, for
we know how important it is to
fill up the space between the col-
umn rules every day in the year.

ELKS WILL HAVE BALL

The annual ball of the Dothan
Lodge 1133 B. P. O. E. will be
held Thursday night at the home.
Several out-of-town guests have
been invited to attend and many
Dothan people will be present.

Elite Theatre

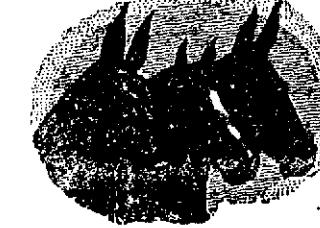
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mers want, we keep them coming by
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a nice suit or overcoat at the season-
end price

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Dothan has become a
wholesale center for
Mules. You can readily
believe this by calling
in and inspecting
our stock.

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direct from the mule centers. They are
bought so close till we can sell the dealers of
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our lot. We know where to buy.

This entire shipment is composed of
MULES that are well broken to harness,
thoroughly acclimated, clean and sound.
Come in and look over the lot.

Dothan Mule Co.

O. E. Williams, Mgr.

Dothan, — — — Alabama.

ATLANTA & ST. ANDREWS RAILROAD.

TIME TABLE NO. 3

Effective Jan. 13th, 1911

Southbound	Northbound	No. 3	No. 1	No. 2	No. 4
3:15 p. m.	8:40 a. m. Lv. Dothan	At	12:45 p. m.	7:10 p.	
5:05	10:40 Ar. Cottontdale	Lv.	11:00	5:20	
5:20	11:00 Lv. Cottontdale	Ar.	10:45	5:05	
5:45	11:45 Ar. Panama City	Lv.	12:00	5:00	

Panama City Lv. 7:00

**FIRST COUGH OF THE
SEASON IS HERE**

If it may be that it is just a little sore throat or the healing sensation that always precedes a case of tonsilitis or pneumonia. Hadn't you better get a bottle of

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Get a bottle now. You'll need it in the morning.

25 cents per bottle

PARAGON PHARMACY
Where a registered Pharmacist fills every prescription.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

D. V. McNair, of Graceville, Fla., was here last night.

John L. Ward was here yesterday from Marianna, Fla.

Will H. Ward, of Marianna, was here a while yesterday.

H. V. Hudson, of Blountstown, Fla., spent last night in the city.

R. P. Williams, of Appalachia, Fla., was in the city yesterday.

J. W. Folkes, of route 4, was in town Tuesday and paid for his weekly.

Hyman Levine has gone to Birmingham to spend a few days with relatives.

Messrs. A. L. and A. C. Kelly of Slocomb, were transacting business in Dothan today.

Dr. W. C. Vickers of Abbeville is among the well known visitors to Dothan today.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Coe and little son of Hartford are here today visiting friends and relatives.

For Rent.—One 5-room house in Westover. Possession given at once. W. B. Jarvis. tJ1.

Mr. G. W. Kelley and son Byrd, of Midland City, were in the city yesterday visiting friends and relatives.

Misses Dora Kelly and Bessie Thornton, of Carrollton, Ga., are here on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Martin, on South Oates St.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Kelly, of Carrollton, Ga., are here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Martin. Mr. Kelly is the editor of the Carrollton Free Press, a weekly paper published there.

At The Criterion**JEAN GOES FORAGING**

A Vitagraph story of a summer vacation. How two young people tried to live in the open. Their adventures and their narrow escape from starvation through the intelligence and love of their dog Jean. Jean is the Vitagraph dog actor and has been seen in many of their productions.

HIS BREACH OF DISCIPLINE

Edison

The story of a lieutenant of the French army and his sweetheart. It is a drama of intense interest and will hold your keenest attention from the first to the last scene.

Music tonight by the orchestra.

Dr. C. W. Vickers and J. D. Ward, of Abbeville spent yesterday with friends in Dothan.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Baine and daughter of Birmingham, are here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Oliver on North Foster street.

C. L. Blalock, a former resident of this city but now of Cordova, returned to his home this morning after a short stay in the city.

PALMERS

Toilet Waters
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Fragrant, Lasting and True
to the flower odor.

Try Apple Leaves

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Mrs. D. Gilkeson, 326 Ingles Ave., Youngstown, Ohio, gained wisdom by experience. "My little girl had a severe cold and coughed almost continuously. My sister recommended Foley's Honey and Tar. The first dose I gave her relieved the inflammation in her throat and after using only one bottle her throat and lungs were entirely free from inflammation. Since then I always keep a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar in the house. Accept no substitutes. For sale by N. H. McCallum."

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SOME CHANGES

On and after January 1, 1911, we will sell twenty milk tickets for \$1.00 cash, and eighteen where the account is run over till the first of the month.

tJ1 Locust Grove Dairy.

CUMBIE BICYCLE SHOP
South St. Andrews Street